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Attempted murder is alleged

Woman charged with trying to kill son

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Granite City woman has been charged with attempted first-degree murder for allegedly throwing her 33-month-old son down an embankment Wednesday after a failed attempt to kill both herself and her child by standing in rush-hour traffic on Illinois 3.

Dawn E. Readhead, 21, of the 2900 block of Oak Street, was being held Friday at the Kettler Center at St. Elizabeth Medical Center pending transfer to the Madison County jail.

Madison County Circuit Judge Charles Romani Jr. set her bond at \$150,000.

The boy, who was bleeding from the face when police arrived, was placed in the custody of the Department of Children and Family Services.

Witnesses told police Readhead dragged the boy into the middle of Illinois 3 near West 20th Street at about 5:30 p.m. Wednesday, and then stood in the middle of traffic.

After slamming on his brakes to avoid hitting the mother and child, a 41-year-old man asked Readhead what she was doing, according to a police report.

Readhead replied: "I'm trying to kill both of us," the report said.

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Character — Mitchell School kindergartner Ryan Mitchell, dressed as the Cat in the Hat from the Dr. Seuss book, listens to teacher Rochelle O'Leary read a story for her class. The school's teachers and students were dressed as characters from their favorite books last week to celebrate the final day of Reading Week. More photos on Page 2A.

(Staff photo by JOHN FRES)

Appointment raises GOP ire

Ragsdale challenges Papa

The Madison County GOP chairman drew battle lines last week over an upcoming County Board seat appointment.

Edward Ragsdale, GOP central committee chairman, threatened to campaign to make the County Board chairman an elected position if the Republicans' choice for the appointment is overlooked.

"Obviously, there's no attempt at bipartisanship under (County Board chairman) Rudy Papa," Ragsdale said, referring to Papa's recent snub of the GOP's candidate for the office of county treasurer.

"Let's see how Mr. Papa likes running a countywide campaign."

Under the current system, the chairman is elected from among 29 board members, 27 of whom are Democrats. But Ragsdale said he thinks voters should elect the position, as they do in St. Clair County.

Such a race would give Republicans a better shot at the job and ensure more accountability, he said.

Ragsdale also took a shot at Papa for recent complaints of nepotism and the hiring of Papa's brother, Joe Papa, to a supervisory position in the county sewer district.

"If they have all this money to spend to hire their relatives, I think they need to answer more to the voters."

The idea for the countywide chairman election came up because Papa is preparing to appoint a new

"Obviously, there's no attempt at bipartisanship under (County Board chairman) Rudy Papa. Let's see how Mr. Papa likes running a countywide campaign."

— Edward Ragsdale
GOP chairman

County Board member to the District 6 board seat in Godfrey.

The seat was vacated recently when Papa appointed Republican Bill Aery as county treasurer. Four Godfrey Republicans have expressed interest in the County Board appointment, which must be made from GOP ranks because of Aery's party affiliation.

Retired dentist Frank Von Vonnahmen of Godfrey is rumored to be the front runner for the appointment, despite widespread GOP support for Godfrey Township Supervisor Doug Mueller.

But county Democrats are likely to shun Mueller for the job because, at 36, he could pose a threat in future

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Bowler: No audit, no development

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Mayoral candidate Paul Ray Bowler says the lack of an audit of city funds for the past three years will hinder the city's ability to lure development to a proposed tax increment finance district along Illinois 3.

"I challenge the current administration to come clean on why they have failed to have a city audit done for three years," Bowler said. "No one in Granite City can really believe that this administration has been so busy for three and a half years that they couldn't get an audit completed."

Bowler raised the issue of the lack of an outside audit last month. Mayor Ron Selph said the city's financial department employees have been swamped with paperwork associated with federal reimbursement of nearly \$4 million in repair costs associated with local flooding.

Bowler said Alton, Grafton, East St. Louis, Cahokia, Madison, Venice and Belleville — all cities that sustained flood damages — have all been able to complete audits at least through 1995.

As a result of the lack of financial reports, the city has lost its bond rating.

"If there's work to be done, I promise that a Paul Ray Bowler administration will not be waltzing out of the office at

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Fireman returns from Hungary

By Michelle Duell
Staff writer

There was a celebration last week at the Charles Melvin Price U.S. Army Support Center in Granite City.

Greg Modrusic, a 35-year-old Granite City resident, had just arrived from Hungary, where he had been serving as a firefighter with the Army's 376th Engineer Platoon.

Cake and cookies and a banner bearing the words, "Welcome home 376th Platoon," greeted him, along with friends he hadn't seen in eight months.

Modrusic was glad to be home. He said he had missed the United States.

"It's always hard to drop your children and your life and then take off," Modrusic said.

Although he doesn't have children or a wife himself, he sympathizes with friends who do, and he has responsibilities of his own as a funeral director and embalmer at Irwin Funeral Home in Granite City.

While in Hungary, he was at Kaposlak, a Hungarian civilian airfield that the U.S. Army was using as a staging area for helicopters. There he was expected to be available to put out fires that could have started on the helicopters, tents and buildings on the base. Fortunately, he said, there were no fires while he was there.

"It was pretty quiet in Hungary," Modrusic said. "I would have felt more needed in Bosnia."

Though he missed the United States, Hungary was an interesting country to him.

"The people were extremely nice, and it was overwhelming



Specialists Jay Meyers of Bellfontaine Neighbors, left, and Greg Modrusic of Granite City and Sgt. Patrick Eliot of Collinsville returned from duty in Hungary with the 376th Engineer Platoon reserve firefighters unit.

(Staff photo by JOHN FRES)

"The support from back home really made a big difference. I didn't expect to be sent to Hungary. I guess I thought there were other parts of the world we would go first."

— Greg Modrusic

how nice they were to us," he said. "But any time you mix two cultures, there are

problems like language barriers.

"Hungary is poor for the

most part. And as far as technology and fashion, they're years behind the United States. There's a lot of farming, and they're hard working people."

What impressed Modrusic the most, however, was not the Hungarians, but the people from home. His unit received numerous care packages through the Red Cross.

"The support from back home really made a big difference," he said. "I didn't

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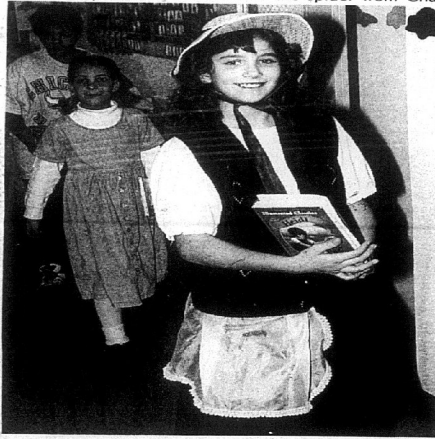
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Characters come alive....



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Mitchell School kindergarten teacher Rochelle O'Leary, at right, dressed as Raggedy Ann, reads the book in which Raggedy Ann appears to her class. The school's teachers and students dressed as characters from their favorite books during Book Character Day last week to celebrate the last day of Reading Week. Above, dressed-up teachers included: Verna Ullman, as one of the 101 Dalmations; Cheryl Pond, Little Red Riding Hood; Pat Kibikas, Ms. Frizzell from the "Magic School Bus;" Joanne Conaway, Dorothy from the "Wizard of Oz;" Deborah Milton, Curious George's trainer; and Karen Patterson, Little Red Riding Hood. Below center, first grader Bryce Kahn was dressed as Heidi. Below left, back row from left, teachers Erica Walker, dressed as Queen Ester; Nancy Weber was Ralph S. Mouse; Cathie Drake, Matilda; front row: Connie McCarthy, Miss Muffit; Donna Carl, the smartest of the Three Little Pigs; and Gerry Pointer as Charlotte the spider from Charlotte's Web.



Call For Help suicide program needs volunteers

Call for Help Inc., a suicide and crisis program, needs volunteer telephone hot line workers.

The spring training will start March 17. People wanting to be of help to others and have the time to give should call 397-0963 for more information.

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PERSONNEL COSTS THROUGHOUT MADISON COUNTY

AGENCY	TOTAL CALLS FOR 1995	TOTAL PERSONNEL COST FY '96
Madison Co.		
Sheriff's Dept.	22,828	\$338,100
Edwardsville	4,004	\$261,800
Alton	12,874	\$213,958
Highland	2,142	\$191,535
Wood River	3,977	\$185,945
Glen Carbon	1,846	\$173,658
SIUE	N/A	\$142,000*
Bethalto	1,698	\$150,160
Collinsville	5,849	\$169,007
Granite City	13,033	\$165,000*
Troy	1,536	\$164,105
East Alton	2,229	\$126,584
Pontoon Beach	2,460	\$123,833
Maryville	856	\$95,000
Madison	3,058	\$143,856
Venice	3,010	\$60,000*
TOTAL	81,400	\$2.7 Million*

* Estimated Graphic by M. Cook

NEWS

Police chiefs differ on 911 plan

Ruebhausen opposes consolidation; others say it could work

Robert Iarlinghausen, chief 911 dispatcher for the Alton Police Department, says that personal knowledge of Alton city streets helps him immensely in his job.

"When we have an officer on the streets, particularly a new officer, they don't always have time to look at a map to know where they are," he said. "If he needs directions quickly in a chase situation or something, it can help his response time greatly if we can just tell him over the radio."

Dispatchers' familiarity with their own city streets is one reason that police officials are reluctant to support consolidating 911 services at a central location in the county.

But money and better technology are changing 911 services quickly, and Madison County may soon be forced to merge some of its 16 answering stations throughout the county.

The county's emergency 911 telephone system is a complex, life-saving tool that gives about 250,000 citizens immediate access to 30 police and emergency agencies.

The 911 system has been hailed as a big success since it first came online on June 18, 1992. Together, the 16 answering points handle about 90,000 calls per year.

No matter what happens, 911 is here to stay. However, emergency officials are beginning to analyze the system with the intention of saving money and improving service. At issue is the proposed consolidation of some of the answering stations.

Many police chiefs insist that their departments function better and provide better service when each community has its own answering station.

But administrators and elected

officials point out that other counties our size have only two or three 911 answering stations. Consolidation could literally save millions of dollars and possibly afford better technology.

The 911 system is overseen by a seven-member Emergency Telephone System Board appointed by County Board chairman Rudy Papp. The system board is made up of representatives from police, fire and ambulance agencies.

Terry Ford, Godfrey fire chief, is currently chairman of the system board. The system also has a coordinator, David Whipple, who is hired by the board with county approval.

The board collects about \$800,000 per year from a six-cent surcharge on telephone lines. The phone company takes about three percent of the surcharge.

Depending on where they originate, 911 calls are answered by local city police departments or the Sheriff's Department. The system board buys expensive hardware for all 16 answering stations, handles training, and provides maintenance and technical help.

The police departments themselves, however, pay for the 73 full-time and several part-time dispatchers who answer 911 calls throughout the county.

The total cost of 911 personnel, which is paid in large part with city tax dollars, is estimated by municipal financial officers at more than \$2.5 million per year.

The big issue coming before the system board now is whether all 16 of the answering stations — and all the equipment and employees at each station — are needed.

The board is preparing to hire a consultant to look at the 911 system

and make recommendations on possibly combining some answering stations.

Whipple, the coordinator, is an advocate of consolidation in most cases, but he says the decision is up to the system board and each municipality.

A few police chiefs in Madison County are growing more supportive of consolidating.

Edwardsville and Glen Carbon are already discussing a merger. So are Troy and Maryville. But elected officials in all four towns are hushy on details. Consolidation is not assured.

The theory behind consolidating is that the largest expense of running a 911 answering station is simply to staff it 24 hours a day.

Once a station is manned, a few dispatchers can handle communications for police, fire and ambulance service throughout an entire county.

Examples of single large areas with just one 911 answering point include Jefferson County in Missouri, the entire city of Chicago, and several other large counties in northern Illinois.

Compared to these areas, the proposed merger between Edwardsville and Glen Carbon may be small potatoes, but it is still challenging to engineer.

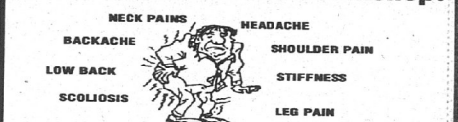
Glen Carbon now employs five full-time and one part-time 911 dispatchers. Their personnel costs for fiscal year 1996 were \$173,658, including wages and benefits, according to records.

Edwardsville's personnel costs were \$261,800 for five full-time



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Firm is accused of 'churning'

A group of lawyers has filed a class-action lawsuit against an insurance agency accused by customers of selling misleading policies.

A suit, filed Tuesday in Madison County Circuit Court on behalf of five customers, claims the Springfield-based Franklin Life Insurance Co. began selling bogus and misleading policies to customers in 1985.

Mark Goldenberg, a Granite City lawyer who is participating in the suit with several other lawyers, said the allegations against Franklin Life are similar to recent charges leveled against Prudential Insurance Co. of America, but on a much smaller scale.

Prudential Insurance was recently hit with a multimillion dollar judgment after a yearlong investigation proved agents misled clients.

Goldenberg said if the suit is certified as a class action, a judgment would cover most customers of Franklin Life if wrong.

The suit alleges Franklin Life practices "churning," a tactic in which agents encourage clients to use the cash value of existing life insurance policies to finance the purchase of new, more expensive policies without fully explaining the consequences. Agents promise more insurance at little or no added cost.

Goldenberg said the company is also being accused of selling "vanishing" premiums policies.

"Vanishing" premiums is basically when an insurance agent comes in and says if you pay for this policy for, say, seven years, it will then begin supporting itself," he said. "Eight or nine years down the road, customers are told that, 'Whoops, the original vanishing date (the date when policyholders can stop making payments and the policy is self-sufficient) is wrong.' These particular policies always take longer than the original period of time."

The suit also claims customers were sold a "President's Plan," or retirement plan, in which agents allegedly led clients

to believe they were building large investments.

"They paid a lot of money and most of it went for fees and commission," Goldenberg said. "They led customers to believe that over a period of years the investment would be worth \$25,000, when in reality it was only worth \$600."

The suit was filed on behalf of one customer from the Madison County area and two from Southern Illinois, he said.

Franklin Life offices were closed Wednesday and officials could not be reached for comment.

Prudential Insurance, the nation's biggest life insurance company, became the target of an investigation by 30-state task force after complaints surfaced here and elsewhere.

The task force said top Prudential management did not actively promote the improper practices of its agents but took little effective action until recently to stop them.

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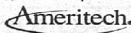
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Obituaries

Vonda Collins

Vonda L. (Tackett) Collins, 59, of Taylorville, formerly of Granite City, died at 6:15 a.m. Monday, Feb. 10, 1987, as the result of an auto accident that occurred on Rt. 104, 1/4 mile west of Pawnee. She was born Nov. 1, 1927, in Elco.

Mrs. Collins was employed as a licensed practical nurse at Doctors Hospital in Springfield.

Survivors include her mother, Vanita Lucille (Jones) Thompson of Taylorville; her father, Carmell Tackett of Thebes; three daughters, Pamela Wieseman of Granite City, Eugenia M. Gibson and Lydia L. Collins, both of Belleville; one son, Daniel W.L. Collins of Twenty-nine Palms, Calif.; her step-daughter, Debra L. Hubbs of Olympia, Wash.; one sister, Mildred Hopkins of Taylorville; two brothers, David Tackett of Granite City and Wendell Tackett of Madison; and 13 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Michael and Charles J. III Collins; one brother, Troy E. Tackett; and one granddaughter.

Private family services were held Wednesday, Feb. 12, at Shafer Funeral Home, 202 West Franklin, Taylorville. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery in Granite City.

Lucille Moore

Lucille (Whitehead) Moore, 74, of Granite City died at 6:08 p.m. Monday, Feb. 10, 1987, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she had been a patient for five days. She was born Jan. 18, 1923, in Indigo, Mo., and had been ill for the past three years.

Mrs. Moore, a homemaker, was a member of Bethel Pentecostal Church, the Secret Pal Bank at Bethel Pentecostal and the Five Star Club of Magna Bank.

Survivors include two sons, Leonard and Richard King, both of Granite City; five daughters, Marcella Papp and Sarah King, both of Granite City, Linda Nelson of St. Charles, Mo., Thelma Holloran of St. Louis and Lois Dugan of Madison; 16 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, John Wesley and Mary (Brinton) Whitehead; one brother, William E. Whitehead; one daughter, Evelyn Scott; and one grandson.

Services were held Thursday, Feb. 13, at Bethel Chapel Pentecostal Church, 2445 Ohio, Granite City, with the Rev. Gerald Green officiating. Burial was in Sunset Hill Memorial Estates in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Bethel Chapel, American Diabetes Association, Heart Fund of St. Joseph Home Health Care, St. Charles, Mo.

Arrangements were handled by Davis Funeral Home, 21st and Cleveland, Granite City.

Mary Frintzko

Mary (Popovchak) Frintzko, 75, of Granite City died at 2:52 a.m. Friday, Feb. 14, 1987, at Delmar Gardens on the Green Nursing Home in Chesterfield, Mo. She had been a resident of Delmar Gardens for five years and ill for two weeks.

Mrs. Frintzko was born Nov. 11, 1921, in Poland. She was employed for 12 years as a bookkeeper for Pop-Chick Tire in St. Louis; a member of Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Church of Madison; a former Girl Scout leader; former member of Granite City Senior Citizens; and member of Society of Myrtle-Bearing Women.

Survivors include one daughter, Magdalena Frintzko of St. Louis; one son, Michael Frintzko of Granite City; and three sisters, Ann Butchko and Joan Part, both of St. Louis, and Agnes P. Frintzko of Granite City.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Harry Frintzko.

whom she married Sept. 29, 1957, in Madison and who died Aug. 2, 1981; her parents, William and Pelagia (Mikoliczke) Popovchak; and her brother, William Popovchak.

Funeral services will be from 3 - 8 p.m. today, Sunday, at Thomas Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. There will be a Parasitos service at 5 p.m. Funeral services are scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Monday, Feb. 17, at Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Church, 6th & Ewing, Madison, with the Rev. Thomas Succarotte officiating. Burial will be in Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Cemetery in Glen Carbon.

Memorials are suggested to Nativity of Virgin Mary Orthodox Church of Madison or St. Louis Alzheimers Association.

Joseph Wurtz

Joseph M. "Joe" Wurtz, 81, of Highland died at 11:50 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 11, 1987, at St. Joseph Hospital in Highland. He was born Nov. 18, 1915, in Troy.

Mr. Wurtz worked for the Civilian Conservation Corps during the depression; served from Jan. 1943 to Jan. 7, 1946, with the U.S. Army in the Pacific; and worked for the U.S. Navy during World War II; and by General Electric in St. Louis. In 1980, he was a member of American Legion Post 708 of Troy, and International Chemical Workers Union, Local 50 of Granite City. He enjoyed playing cards and was an avid Cardinal baseball fan.

Survivors include one brother, William H. Wurtz Sr. of Collinsville; one sister, Margaret Parker of Conway, Ark.; one nephew and one great-nephew.

He was preceded in death by

his parents, Matthew and Anna Marie (Leise) Wurtz; one brother, Raymond T. "Matt" Wurtz; and four sisters, Leona, Jewel, Catherine Woll, Elizabeth Kapp and Annie Kanter.

Funeral services were held Friday, Feb. 14, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home, 1501 Ninth St., Highland, with the Rev. Steven A. Janoski officiating. Burial was in St. Jerome Catholic Cemetery in Troy.

Memorials are suggested to Faith Countryside Homes Nursing Center Flag and Pole Fund.

Victoria Begley

Victoria H. (Ben) Begley, 84, of Fairmont City died at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 12, 1987, at her residence. She was born March 6, 1912, in Westville.

Mrs. Begley was a member of Holy Rosary Catholic Church in Fairmont City. Survivors include one son, James Begley of Fairmont City; one daughter, Patricia Vines of one; four sisters, Ann Janulavich of St. Louis, Agnes Howe of Chicago, Edna Bena of East Alton and Rose Higgins of St. Louis; and two great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ted J. Begley, who died Sept. 8, 1981; her parents, Martin and Elizabeth (Zilla) Bena; and one sister, Mary Bena.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 15, at Herbert A. Kasky Funeral Home Ltd., 515 Vandavia, Collinsville, with the Rev. David Wilke officiating. Burial was in St. Peter and Paul Catholic Cemetery, Collinsville.

Memorials are suggested to Masses or Holy Rosary Parish.

Man hurt in house explosion

By Kimberly Haas
Staff writer

An early morning house explosion and fire Tuesday left a man in critical condition at a St. Louis hospital.

Richard Bachman Jr., 26, Fairview Heights, suffered second-degree burns to over 34 percent of his body when the house he was living in exploded and caught fire.

Bachman was airlifted from Memorial Hospital in Belleville to St. John's Mercy Medical Center Tuesday, and was listed in critical condition Friday.

Fire investigators believe the explosion came from the basement of the 315 Lywood Lane, where Bachman said he was when the incident occurred. Evidence seems to point toward a natural gas explosion, fire investigators said.

Both the French Village and Fairview Fire Departments were dispatched to the house at 8:48 a.m. French Village Assistant Fire Chief George Lemp said the fire was under control within 20 minutes of their arrival.

Bachman was "indefinitely" in the hospital, I've been with the department for 20 years and I've never seen anything like this in this fire district," he said.

Bachman was apparently able to make it up the basement stairs, where he was helped through a living room window by his neighbor, Cindy Hagley.

Bachman told witnesses at the scene he had been smoking in bed when the explosion occurred. Fairview Heights Police Capt. Mike King.

Hagley said she was looking out her front window, trying to find her dog, when the house exploded.

Bachman has rented the home since December. "I thought it was a bomb, it was that loud and that powerful. I was scared out of my wits," Hagley said.

Hagley said she told her daughter, who is 21, and she began running across the street to Bachman's house.

He was at the living room window when he was hurt. "We had to knock away some of the glass for me to get out," said Hagley, a physical therapist aide at Memorial Hospital.

Bachman was helped out of the house and then, with the help of her husband, Phil, rolled him along the ground. Bachman was unable to walk because of serious injuries sustained to his feet during the blast.

The pair were able to get Bachman safely away from the home before a second blast occurred.

Bachman's father, Richard Bachman Sr., had fled a missing persons report with the Fairview Heights Police Department on Feb. 7, after reporting his son had not been seen since Feb. 3, said Capt. King.

"He had been missing for a week or so, but no one really was suspected. His father was just making a report," King said.

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Classes starting the week of February 15 include:

- Stiffy Bows - 9 a.m. to noon, one session, Room 525. Decorate a medium basket or grapevine wreath with fabric stiffy bows. Fee: \$11. Supplies: \$1, list will be mailed.
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- Glittery Iris Sweatshirt - 12:30 - 4 p.m., one session, Room 535. Using paint, glitter and dimensional paint outlining, create an iris sweatshirt. Fee: \$12. Supplies: \$6, and a sweatshirt.

For information, contact Joyce Nyerges, GCC Community Services coordinator, at 931-0600, or toll-free in Illinois at 1-800-BAC-5131, extension 411.

Woman

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report states. Another witness, a 36-year-old Granite City man, told police Readhead stood in his traffic lane staring at his on-coming car "as though daring him to hit her" while holding the child by the nap of the neck.

Readhead later threw the boy head-first down the highway embankment, a witness told police. Readhead told police she was despondent over losing her house and her state id.

At the police station, after the child had been taken into protective custody, Readhead told officers that she wanted to kill herself - not that she wanted to kill her child.

The man Readhead claims is the father of the child is currently serving a prison sentence for drug possession and attempted burglary.

The incident is the second in Granite City in a four-month period that a mother is accused of trying to kill her child. Mary Alicia Reynolds, 29, of the 2800 block of Myrtle Avenue in Granite City, was indicted in October with first-degree murder for allegedly stabbing her two-year-old daughter in the temple with a kitchen knife.

The charge against Reynolds was changed to first-degree murder after the child died.

GOP

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Vonnahmen ran unsuccessfully for Godfrey mayor in 1991, finishing third in a field of 11 candidates.

In addition to Mueller and Vonnahmen, two other Godfrey Republicans have expressed interest in the board seat. Kermit D. Schien, 60, has no political experience and is a retired UPS driver. John Fischer, 40, is a dentist who served eight years on the Alton Parks Board.

Schien and Mueller both said they would run for election if appointed.

Vonnahmen, an old friend of Godfrey's from the Godfrey Lion's Club, said he is very much interested in the County Board job. "I'm a Republican, but I've voted a split vote all my life, for the person you know," he said. "The board is a chance to do what I think I would have the time to devote to the job."

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Bowler

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4:30. We'll stay all night - every night until the job's completed," Bowler said. He is totally unacceptable that in less than four years this administration has taken Granite City from an 'A' bond rating to no rating," Bowler said. It is also unbelievable that this administration does not recognize what their negligence has cost our city."

Bowler said a city's bond rating is the first thing a business or manufacturer looks for before even considering locating in the area.

"This is how businesses determine if a community will be in a position to finance infrastructure improvements to support new opportunities," Bowler said.

The city intends to create a tax increment financing district along Illinois 3 to spur industrial development.

A TIF district is a development tool. When the TIF district is formed, the amount of property tax money generated within the district is "frozen" at its existing level.

Any future property tax money above the freeze level is withheld from other taxing bodies in the district (such as schools, parks and libraries) for a period of up to 23 years and related to the TIF district. The related funding can be used for improvements, such as infrastructure.

Chiefs

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dispatchers and one supervisor - one of the highest costs in the county.

Edwardsville Director of Police Bennett Dickman insists that dispatchers not be clerks or officers who sometimes take over some duties. In addition, Edwardsville employs a communications supervisor to oversee operations, which most other cities do not.

Glen Carbon typically generates only 2 percent of the total calls in the county, while Edwardsville gets about 5 percent.

The proposal being discussed between the two cities would close Glen Carbon's telecommunications room, meaning that Glen Carbon 911 calls would be answered in Edwardsville.

However, all Glen Carbon calls would receive instantaneous attention from the dispatchers in Edwardsville, who would call out a Glen Carbon officer immediately.

At no time would Glen Carbon lose any of its police force. In fact, some of the people working as 911 dispatchers for Glen Carbon could be reassigned to other duties.

Glen Carbon would pay a fee to Edwardsville, which has not been determined yet.

Dickman said he is a proponent of consolidation, but he doesn't believe in just a single answering station for the entire county.

"I'm not in favor of one massive site because of problems with power outages, the possibility for a disaster of some kind and security concerns," he said. "But I do favor some consolidation if it's mutual to all involved parties."

East Alton Police Chief William Shewmaker said he has recently decided that one central location for 911 calls would be the best option. "I've drastically changed my mind," he said. "Right now, the maintenance guy has to run

all over creation, and so much money is being spent. The Sheriff's Department has done a lot of work in dispatching for large areas, and I don't see what the problem is with consolidating."

On the other hand, Granite City Police Chief David Ruebhausen is adamantly opposed to consolidating.

"I want the people responsible for 911 phones in Granite City to be responsible to Granite City," he said. "If there's a problem with a call, I want to be able to walk right over and take care of it."

At the Sheriff's Department, six full-time dispatchers and one supervisor handle fully one-third of the annual 911 call load in the county, with just 13 percent of the total county's personnel costs.

Capt. Robert Hertz said the department may be interested in consolidating countywide 911 services, but not under the Sheriff's Department roof.

The consultant expected to be hired by the Emergency Telephone System Board would probably recommend some degree of consolidation of answering stations.

A major new innovation commonly called Global Information System is even now putting detailed maps of entire cities and neighborhoods into dispatchers' fingertips.

Personal knowledge of the community, such as dispatcher Robert Isringhausen's, may never be completely duplicated, but remote 911 dispatching is improving every day.

The Emergency Telephone System Board has scheduled a meeting at 9:30 a.m. Feb. 27, in the county administration building, 157 N. Main St. in Edwardsville, to discuss 911 technology.

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NEWS

CBS will televise race

By Michelle Duell
Staff writer

The Grand Prix Association of Long Beach, Calif., announced Friday that it has signed a three-year agreement with CBS to broadcast the NASCAR Busch Series, Grand National Division race from the company's Gateway International Raceway in Madison.

The inaugural 300-mile race will be televised live July 26 between noon and 3 p.m. Central Daylight Time, from Gateway's new 1.25-mile oval track.

"We are delighted that we can now affirm that all three of our 'Triple Crown' season opening events at Gateway will be on major network television," said Christopher Pook, chairman, president and chief executive officer of the Grand Prix Association of Long Beach.

"When we commenced redevelopment at Gateway, we told the people of St. Louis and southwestern Illinois that we would bring exposure to this area through the events we brought to the facility. We are delivering on that promise."

Alison, secretary of the PPG CART World Series May 22-24 and the NHRA Southern Nationals, set for June 26-29, as its first major event.

Jim Michalek, executive vice president of GALB, said that construction on the track is expected to be finished May 1. The oval track will have about 45,000 permanent and temporary seats.

He said that number can be expected to be expanded to 85,000 seats in time.

The new oval track is part of a \$21.5 million renovation and expansion project that includes a new quarter-mile drag strip and a 1.6-mile road course.

The May construction deadline will meet the preparation schedule for the PPG CART World Series. The revamped drag strip will host the NHRA Craftsman Nationals June 26-29 as its first major event.

When completed, the raceway could attract almost 500,000 people each year and have a local economic impact greater than the St. Louis Rams, officials have said.

GPALB owns and operates the Toyota Grand Prix of Long Beach, the annual Indy Car race on the streets of Long Beach since 1975.



Karen Rhodes, Granite City
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Salee Thornton, Granite City
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Earl Hines, Granite City
"I haven't thought one way or the other about it. It doesn't bother if they do or don't do it."



Les Arnold, Granite City
"I think everyone should learn English the proper way."

THE VOICE BOX:
What are your feelings on Ebonics?

By SHIRLEY VALENCIA

Pet cemetery owner under media siege

By Mark Hodapp
Staff writer

Alvin Taylor of O'Fallon is getting tired of all the media attention on his pet cemetery.

"The media hasn't printed anything good about me," said Taylor, 82. "They turn everything around."

Taylor is trying to sell his 8.5 acres near the intersection of Illinois 50 and Shiloh Road because he wants to retire.

"I have not had a vacation in 40 years," he said.

But Taylor doesn't think he will be able to sell the land with the pet cemetery on it.

Taylor said he does not understand why the story is being played so big by the media.

"Today, I turned down interviews from Miami and Grand Rapids, Mich.," he said Wednesday.

He added a world wide news network out of Washington D.C. called him for an interview at 6 a.m. recently.

Taylor said he believes the media will print whatever they choose, even if it's not the truth.

Contrary to popular belief, his land has not been sold, he said.

"And it may never sell," Taylor added.

However, representatives from Schnucks and Huck's Convenience Stores have expressed some interest in the property, he said.

Taylor said he also looks forward to enjoying his remaining years of his life.

"My happiest day will be when I'm dead," he said.

The past couple of years have been tough on Taylor physically and mentally. His wife recently passed away after battling cancer.

"She was a really fine lady," he said. A former coal miner mechanic at St. Ellen Mine, Taylor praised his late wife's

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School forum slated for Wednesday

Madison Community Unit School District #12 will host a community forum on public school funding at 7 p.m. Wednesday at Madison Middle School, 1003 Farrish.

Topics to be addressed include the relationship of local tax receipts and general state aid, as well as an explanation of the proposal sponsored by the Coalition for Fair School Funding to change the way in which public schools are funded. A question and answer period will follow the presentation by School Superintendent Gary Allison.

Light refreshments will be served. The public is invited to attend.

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NEWS



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESE)
Specialist Greg Modrusic after his return last week from Hungary.

•Hungary

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expect to be sent to Hungary. I guess I thought there were other parts of the world we would go first."

Modrusic enlisted in the U.S. Army almost eight years ago. He was stationed at Fort Hood, Texas, for two years before he decided to join the active reserves—a six-year obligation. His eighth year in the reserves starts in June. After it ends, he will be released from the service.

He joined the Army for the college fund, he said. After he received permission to go to school, he returned to the St. Louis area and attended Forest Park Community College, where he learned embalming.

Now that he has been to Hungary, he won't have to return, he said. He can resume his life in Granite City.

Guest night set

Gateway Sounds Chorus will hold a "Guest Night" Tuesday, Feb. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Collinsville Senior Citizen Center, 420 E. Main, Collinsville. Light refreshments will be served, along with entertainment and information on Sweet Adelines Organization. Everyone is welcome to come and join in the fun. For further information please call Joyce Greiner at 398-8853.

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•Pets

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work at the kennel they ran. Taylor said he can no longer upkeep the cemetery because of his health.

He has an artificial knee, pacemaker and had two cases of pneumonia.

"I shouldn't even be outside right now," he said.

Taylor said he wants to move to Pike County, buy a few hundred acres and develop a conservation area.

"And that's another reason why I want to leave," he said as an airplane flew over his property.

"Scott Air Force Base used to be the bread and butter of my business."

His home is located only a few miles from the base and the new Mid-America Airport.

In a public notice, Taylor recently informed anyone who has a pet buried in the cemetery that they have until Feb. 22 to remove their pet remains.

Taylor said he will rebury all unclaimed remains, but he won't give refunds.

"Some people have been kind to him, he said.

"But a lot of people have been just vicious," Taylor added.

Taylor said he has hired two people to help dig out the remains.

"I am paying them \$100 a day," he said.

He said she also mailed more than 700 letters to warn those with pets buried on the ground about the cemetery's possible closing. But approximately 500 of the letters were returned because they were undeliverable, he said.

Diabetes information seminar set for Feb. 27

Some subscribe to the old saying, "What you don't know can hurt you." For diabetics, this adage is especially fitting.

Fortunately, the Edwardsville Health Center, a facility of St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City, is holding a free "Take Charge of Your Diabetes" seminar on Thursday, Feb. 27, from 6:30 - 9:30 p.m. The Health Center,

1121 University Drive, is across from Home Nursery. The seminar provides a team of experts including a certified diabetes nurse educator, a dietitian and a pharmacist. Pre-registration is required. Call the Organization Training and Development Department, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3201 to register and for more information.

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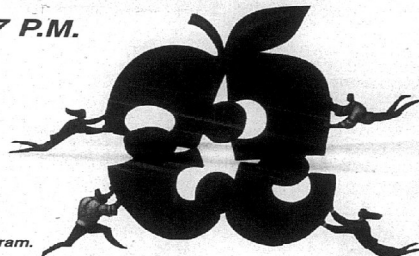
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NEWS

In the military

MARINE PFC. JOSHUA M. KEE, son of Jeff W. Kee of Granite City, recently completed basic training at Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Kee successfully completed 11 weeks of training designed to challenge new Marine recruits both physically and mentally. Kee and fellow recruits began their training at 5 a.m. by running three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Kee spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training.

Kee and other recruits also received instruction on the Marine Corps' core values—honor, courage and commitment, and what the words mean in guiding personal and professional conduct. Kee joins 41,000 men and women who will enter the Marine Corps this year from all over the country.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class DANNY A. HILL, whose wife Christina is the daughter of Geraldine Lay of Granite City, recently returned from a six-month deployment to the Mediterranean, Adriatic and Red seas with Tactical Electronic Warfare Squadron 122, embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Enterprise.

Hill in one of more than 175 sailors in the squadron who traveled three miles and performing calisthenics. In addition to the physical conditioning program, Kee spent numerous hours in classroom and field assignments which included learning first aid, uniform regulations, combat water survival, marksmanship, hand-to-hand combat and assorted weapons training.

During the deployment, Hill's squadron flew more than 120 missions enforcing the NATO-imposed no-fly zone over Iraq and supporting U.N. peacekeeping forces in Bosnia. Hill's squadron tactically exploits and deceives enemy electromagnetic defensive and offensive systems to support air strike and fleet operations. They accomplish this by flying the EA-6B Prowler aircraft.

Although 140 of the 180-day deployment was spent at sea, Hill was still able to visit Bahrain, France, Greece, Israel, Italy, Spain and the United Arab Emirates.

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Corps this year from all over the country. He is a 1995 graduate of Venice High School.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class ROBERT E. KUEHNEL, son of William N. and Kyong O. Kuehnel of Granite City, recently reported for duty with the aircraft carrier Freccommissioning Unit Harry S. Truman, based at Newport News, Va.

Kuehnel's new assignment is an example of how Navy and Marine Corps men and women are assigned to ships, squadrons and shore commands around the world.

The 1994 graduate of Granite City High School joined the Navy in August 1994.

ARMY SPEC. ESTELLE L. CRAWFORD has graduated from the U.S. Army Primary Leadership Development Course (PLDC) at Fort Knox, Radcliff, Ky.

Students received training in supervisory skills, leadership principles, and small unit training techniques essential to a first-line supervisor in the administrative environment.

Crawford is an administrative specialist clerk with the U.S. Total Army Personnel Command in Alexandria, Va.

She is the daughter of Joyce B. Crawford of Venice.

The specialist graduated in 1993 from Venice High School, and received an associate degree in 1995 from Belleville Area College.

AIR FORCE AIRMAN KENLY L. JOHNSON has graduated from the financial management apprentice course at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Students were taught principles of accounting, appropriation of funds, use of automated data processing equipment, and the general ledger system.

Johnson is the daughter of Kenny and stepdaughter Joseph Muller of Granite City.

The airman is a 1996 graduate of Granite City High School.

MARINE CPL. RICHARD E. HARMS, son of Jimmie D. and Carol J. Harms of Granite City, recently was promoted to his present rank while serving with Marine Heavy Helicopter Squadron 463, 1st Marine Expeditionary Brigade, Marine Corps Air Station, Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii.

Harms was promoted based on superior job performance and proficiency in his designated specialty.

A 1994 graduate of Granite City High School, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1994.

MARINE SGT. ROD W. HELL, son of Jon K. and Debra J. Hell of Granite City, recently was promoted to his present rank while serving with the Westport Company, 2nd Battalion, 3rd Marines, Marine Corps Air Station Kaneohe Bay, Hawaii.

Hell was promoted based on sustained superior job performance and proficiency in his designated specialty.

A 1992 graduate of Granite City High School, he joined the Marine Corps in August 1992.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class DANNY A. HILL, whose wife Christina is the daughter of Geraldine Lay of Granite City, recently received the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal.

With a Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal, Hill joins a select group of men and women who have demonstrated their outstanding ability to excel in serving on the Navy-Marine Corps team.

RYAN C. DUFT, son of Richard and Jane Duft of Granite City has enlisted in the Air Force.

Upon successful completion of the Air Force's six-week basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, Duft is scheduled to receive technical training in the Tactical Aircraft career field.

Pvt. ALEXANDRIA L. CAMBURN of Granite City has joined the U.S. Army Reserve and received the Army's written guarantee that she will receive training in the job specialty of her choice, Operating Room Nurse.

Pvt. Camburn, who is a 1995 graduate of Granite City High School, will serve in the 21st General Hospital, St. Louis, reporting for duty March 18.

She is the stepdaughter of Mrs. Richard Marzucco of St. Louis and the daughter of Mrs. Kathleen Camburn of Granite City.

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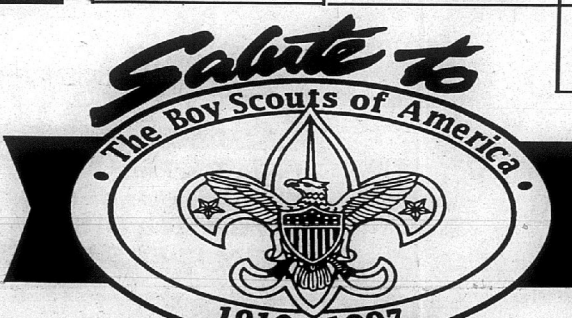
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NEWS

Brother will be found innocent, Jerry Ray says

James Earl Ray's sibling joins family of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. in pleading for new trial

The brother of James Earl Ray joined the family of the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Thursday in pleading for a trial for Ray, King's convicted assassin.

"After 30 years, we're happy that Martin Luther King's family finally wants to see the truth come out about the assassination," Jerry Ray told The Telegraph in an interview from his Tennessee home. "If my brother James goes to trial, he'll be found innocent of the killing of Dr. King."

The slain civil rights leader's son, Dexter King, and his widow, Coretta Scott King, appealed for a trial for Ray in a televised press conference Thursday in Atlanta.

"I'm sure the King family, just like the Ray family and the rest of the American public, wants the truth to come out once and for all," Jerry Ray said.

Dexter King asked for urgency in holding a trial for the 68-year-old Ray, who sits alone in his Nashville, Tenn., prison cell, dying of cirrhosis of the liver. "Every effort must be made to get at the truth," King said.

James Earl Ray pleaded guilty to the April 4, 1968, assassination and was sentenced to 99 years in prison, but he later claimed he was coerced into admitting the killing.

"If James doesn't get a liver transplant, he may die in three to four months," his brother said. "Unless he gets a trial, James will unjustly go to his grave and into

The convicted assassin of King was born in Alton March 10, 1928, in a frame house in the 1000 block of East Ninth Street in Alton.

"James' roots are in Alton," Jerry Ray said.

"His mother and grandmother are buried in Alton. We'd like to clear James' name of the King assassination for his family and his hometown."

James Earl Ray, who was known as a petty thief by Alton police in the 1950s, left his hometown to become known as one of the country's most notorious assassins.

He told *The Telegraph* in an interview in 1993 that he was framed

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— **Jerry Ray**
James Earl Ray's brother

investigator from Madison County said Thursday there are no secret government records that would clear Ray of the murder of King.

"James Earl Ray was the lone triggerman who murdered Dr. King," former Madison County Deputy Sheriff Conrad "Pete" Baetz said.

Baetz and a team of special investigators crisscrossed the country in 1976-78 to investigate the King murder for a special House Assassination Committee.

"We interviewed hundreds of people and ran down hundreds of leads in the King murder, and all the facts pointed to James Early Ray as the killer," Beets said.

Ray tracked King to the Lorraine Motel in Memphis and shot him with a high-powered rifle from a bathroom of a rooming house, Baetz said.

"Ray watched Dr. King step out on the balcony of the motel," Baetz said. "When he saw King in the cross hairs of the rifle scope, he pulled the trigger and killed him."

The Ray family is eager for a Feb. 20 court hearing in Memphis on

Ray's request for new scientific tests on the rifle allegedly used as the murder weapon, Jerry Ray said.

Ray dropped the rifle outside the Memphis rooming house as he fled from police after the King assassination, investigators said.

"If they do tests on the rifle, it'll show that the bullet that killed King did not come from that rifle," Jerry Ray said.

Baetz said Ray's fingerprints were found on the rifle.

William Pepper, Ray's attorney, also may introduce evidence about the mysterious man identified as "Raoul" in the King assassination.

James Ray said that he bought the rifle that allegedly killed King but turned it over to a man named Raoul before King was shot.

Baetz said, however, that Raoul was "an imaginary figure created by Ray to cover up his murder of King."

— *From The Telegraph*

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Wednesday — Breakfast: Cereal, toast, jelly, fresh orange wedges; **lunch:** Meat loaf,

whipped potatoes, green beans, sliced bread(2), peach cobbler.
Thursday — Breakfast: Blueberry squares, banana; **lunch:** Nachos with cheese, refried beans, whole kernel corn, lime jello with diced pears, slice of bread.
Friday — Breakfast: Scrambled egg, biscuit with jelly, raisins; **lunch:** Baked fish on bun, macaroni and cheese, sliced carrots, mixed fruit.
Madison Public Schools

Monday — Breakfast: Cereal, toast; **lunch:** Pepper steak, potatoes, corn, vanilla, wafers, bread.
Tuesday — Breakfast: Waffles; **lunch:** Hot ham and cheese on hoggie, dill slices, lettuce, tomato, applesauce.
Wednesday — Breakfast: Eggs, toast; **lunch:** Nachos, peanut butter and jelly sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, blueberry pie.
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Two hepatitis cases reported

Viral infection being treated

JERSEYVILLE — Jersey County health officials are scrambling to contain two newly reported cases of hepatitis A.

Two adult members of one area family have been diagnosed with the viral infection, which can be spread by infected patients who do not wash their hands after using the toilet.

Officials at the Jersey County Health Department would neither identify the family nor reveal where they contracted the disease, but communicable disease coordinator Linda Watson confirmed that everyone connected with the case has been checked out.

"Anyone who the doctors felt should receive treatment has received the immune globulin," she said.

In a written statement, Health Department administrator Therese Macias, who was not available for comment Tuesday, said the immune globulin is only given to those who are at most risk for hepatitis A.

"It is used to provide temporary protection against the disease and can be given up to two weeks after exposure," she wrote.

Two cases of hepatitis A were also reported in Jersey County in 1996.

No special medications or antibiotics are used to treat hepatitis A patients, although bed rest is recommended.

A thorough hand-washing is the easiest way to prevent the spread of the disease, which enters through the mouth by way of food, water or direct contact.

It then multiplies and is

passed in the stool.

"I cannot stress enough the importance of washing hands," Macias said. "Scrub with soap and warm water for 10 to 20 seconds, making sure you clean under the fingernails. Dry hands on a paper towel or clean (cloth) towel. Where available, use a paper towel to turn off the water faucet and throw the towel away."

Hepatitis A should not be confused with hepatitis B, Macias added, which is transmitted through contact with blood and other bodily fluids.

Symptoms of hepatitis A include fatigue, fever, abdominal pain, nausea and vomiting. Urine may appear darker, and a yellowing of the skin and eyes may also occur.

Although those who have contracted the disease are most infectious about a week before symptoms appear, not every one who becomes ill will know what has hit them.

"Infants and young children tend to have very mild or no symptoms and are less likely to develop jaundice than are older children and adults," Macias said.

The people most likely to catch hepatitis A are those closest to the patients, she said.

"Those who live with the person infected and share food and toilet facilities with them are the people most at risk."

Daycare settings can be a source of disease transmission, if good hygiene is not practiced after changing diapers. It can also be a result of close, physical contact among children.

Macias said casual contact probably does not put people at risk for getting the disease, which is rarely fatal.

Most people recover in a few weeks. After the infection has passed, the patient is immune for life and does not continue to carry the virus.

Symptoms of hepatitis A can appear from two to six weeks after exposure. If you think you have been exposed to either strain of hepatitis, contact your health professional immediately.

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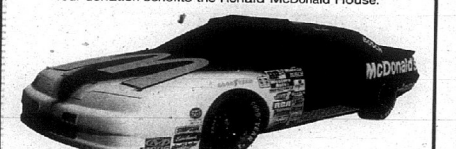


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Gonzales scholarship fund raiser is March 1

The 26th annual Joseph Gonzales Scholarship dance, held in honor of Joseph Gonzales, will be hosted by the Mexican Honorary Commission of Granite City on Saturday, March 1.

Gonzales was killed in an automobile accident in 1970. He received his Bachelor's Degree in education from Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

After teaching for 12 years at Lindberg High School in south St. Louis County, Gonzales became a guidance counselor at Granite City High School.

The Mexican Honorary Commission has announced that four scholarships will be awarded this year through the Granite City Scholarship Foundation to deserving graduating students of the Granite City area. Recipients of 1996 scholarships were Catrina Benson, Mark Hewlett, Brian McMillan and Denise McMillan.

The public is invited to attend the fund raising event, to be held from 8:30 p.m. to 12:30 a.m. at the AmVets Hall, 1711 Kennedy Drive in Madison.

Doors will open at 8:30 p.m. Music will be provided by Marcell Strong Apostles. Mexican food, beef fajitas, margaritas, beer and soda will be available.

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Steve Miller will celebrate his birthday Feb. 18.

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Jessica May Kopet will celebrate his 18th birthday Feb. 19.

John Hamm III will celebrate his 50th birthday Feb. 20.

George and Janice Kamacho will celebrate their 10th anniversary Feb. 20.

Judy Mayes will celebrate her 47th birthday Feb. 20.

Chris Kult will celebrate turning 21 Feb. 20.

Todd McFarland will celebrate his 36th birthday Feb. 20.

Kent Bosworth will celebrate his 42nd birthday Feb. 20.

Pearl Walker will celebrate her 67th birthday Feb. 21.

Cody Neuling will celebrate his 5th birthday Feb. 21.

Gary and Cindy O'Neill will celebrate their 27th anniversary Feb. 21.

Robert and Melody McElroy will celebrate their 28th anniversary Feb. 21.

Doris Downs will celebrate her 48th birthday Feb. 22.

Leonard Tayon will celebrate his 70th birthday Feb. 22.

Misty Hanson will celebrate her 15th birthday Feb. 22.

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Much of this information is nothing new to these columns. Houseplant care is an ongoing topic. But if you're a first-time plant owner, you probably haven't paid too much attention to plant-care info. Now's your chance.

Plant placement is extremely important. All plants require light, but the amount may vary between low, medium and high light. If it's in a window, that should work well. If no window's handy, use a fluorescent plant light, which more closely resembles natural light than incandescent bulbs. If there's any doubt as to how much light your particular plant needs, ask one of Frank's experts.

If the plant is in a window, turn it now and then. This will provide uniform light, keeping it more shapely. Plants left with only one side constantly facing the window may end up looking a little strange.

Watering is something that's misunderstood by many. A plant doesn't necessarily need water every day. And it's easy to tell when it's thirsty. Stick your finger into the soil a little bit. If the soil sticks to your finger, it's moist enough and doesn't need watering. If not, give it a drink. Always follow this rule. Too much water can be as bad as not enough.

Another way plants tell you when they're thirsty is when their flowers begin to wilt. Foliage can become dull or very shiny. Tiny new leaves and stem tips may die.

Some plants, such as African violets, can be watered from the bottom. Not as strange as it may sound. Simply place the potted plant in a saucer of water and let it soak up the moisture. When droplets glisten on the soil surface, remove the plant.

Are the plants part of your routine housecleaning? Should be. When

you're dusting the furniture, check out the plant's leaves. They can pick up dust just like the top of the wall unit or ceiling fan lights can. You can give the plants a light dusting or even go one more step and give 'em a bath with a soft, damp cloth.

Hairy-leaved plants like African violets, however, shouldn't be washed, wiped or polished. Dust them instead, using a soft camel's hair brush. Washing will only produce water spots, and rubbing would give the leaves a scuffed, bruised appearance. So much for the beauty of the plant.

What about food? Of course the plants need it. Most indoor foliage plants prefer balanced plant foods. Every package of fertilizer, regardless of brand or type, contains three numbers on the package. They indicate the percentage of nitrogen, phosphorus and potash, in that order. Flowering plants do best with a food high in phosphorus, one with a high second number, such as 15-30-15. Other foods offer a balanced diet, such as those numbered 20-20-20, for example.

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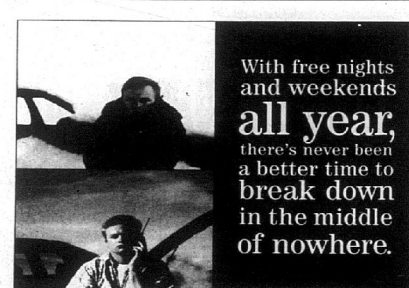
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Horoscope

Sunday, Feb. 16
Dominant Aquarian influences are encouraging you to get friendly with people on your wavelength. You need to keep talking until you fall upon a genius way to solve problems.

You didn't even know you had. The Aquarius sun, Mercury and Venus are challenging you to use your intellect and try new things. You could even make a fantastic love connection on the Internet! **ARIES** (March 21-April 19)

You have the uncanny ability to read someone's mind. Use it carefully. Why not release yourself from a less-than-satisfactory love situation now instead of waiting for things to turn ugly? Travel for business. **TAURUS** (April 20-May 20)

The one you love cares deeply. Developing good memory skills is a tremendous career asset. Gear your mind toward in-depth study. Others will not stand in your way when you are clear about your own intentions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21) Have faith in the goodness of the universe. The unpleasant past begins dissolving as if by magic. Allow yourself the privilege of saving your emotions for their own sake. Your steadfastness keeps a relationship together.

CANCER (June 22-July 22) You have opinions that are just as valid as the next guy—find your voice! Look into network marketing as a vital key to financial success. Only share your inner life if others have your complete trust.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAY (Feb. 16) An expanded romantic life may have you dancing on air as the year unfolds. The love of your life is probably someone you haven't met yet. Investment luck next month comes from listening to that inner voice. Look past surface appearances to find hidden gains in your career in March. Even if you're not looking for a committed relationship, it finds you in May.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Bring glad tidings to someone who complains all the time. In the long run, you make more money doing what you love than by doing what's expedient. Exercise brings energy to your body. You'll find it easy to adapt.



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LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Activities begun now produce financial rewards. Someone in the hospital needs your visit. Others may be less attentive than usual, but you stay constant. Adjust your travel plans if you sense that trouble is in store.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 21) Daring exploits bring new jobs, recognition and friends. So, why slam doors? Do something about a chronic health condition. Domestic uncertainty has a way of working itself out on its own.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) Rewards come from concentrating on old friends who return your affection. Others trust you more when you spend time with them so they can get to know you. A Pisces has love in his or her heart for you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Relationships are a fascinating blend of conflict and excitement. A Scorpio matches your intensity well. Plan a sexy night. A monetary showdown is right around the corner. Put off final decisions.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You show chutzpah and gain admirers. Honor your own needs in a relationship by asking for what you want. A certain plan may be more costly than anticipated. The key to avoiding failure is patience and proper timing.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Twice-told tales change in the telling. Be skeptical until you hear it from the source. If reason says one thing and intuition says another, trust the latter. Adjustments are needed with regard to family.

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Common cold differs from more serious sinusitis

"Ask the Doctor" is an occasional column written by Dr. Joseph S. Prosser, medical director at St. Elizabeth's Hospital of Belleville. To submit a question, write "Ask the Doctor," 219 N. Illinois St., Belleville, IL 62220.



Dr. Joseph S. Prosser

Dr. Prosser: Last week I caught a cold. I felt the usual symptoms—stuffy, runny nose, sinus headache and congestion. I called my doctor, who told me it sounded like I had sinusitis. What is the difference between a cold and sinusitis? Is there a home remedy for either which you would recommend?

Sincerely,
Mary K.

Dr. Prosser responds: Many people develop symptoms universally known as the "common cold." Most of these symptoms are viral in origin and limited in duration. The average person has two to three "colds" per year, with peak incidence in the winter months. A virus by the name

of "Rhinovirus" accounts for the majority of the common colds in the United States. Sinusitis, on the other hand, is a more serious but less common condition. Its cause is usually a bacteria, and its symptoms are usually more intense. The common cold has the universal symptoms of stuffiness, runny nose and frequent scratchy throat. There may be a low grade fever, and general achiness may be present, mimicking the "flu." Sinusitis often has thicker nasal drainage, and pain over the sinus area. Fever can reach higher than 101.0 degrees F. Cough may be present with both types of illnesses.

Other conditions such as allergies may mimic some of the symptoms of the common cold, but fever is not a predominant symptom with allergic conditions.

The common cold, by virtue of its nasal congestion, may actually become the forerunner of sinusitis. In many cases, the differentiation is impossible to make without a thorough examination.

While the common cold usually doesn't require treatment beyond symptom control with decongestants and the like, acute sinusitis requires antibiotics and occasionally surgical intervention.

It is imperative to see a physician when symptoms occur which seem to be more severe or longer lasting than usual.

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Sports

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Cardinals
Athlete of the Week

Prep regional pairings.

Page 2B

Patrick Heston

Winning goes beyond call

I've known Civic Memorial wrestling coach Steve Bradley for years. But I have never seen him as frustrated as he was Tuesday following a referee's ruling that CM wrestler Brad Becker had illegally slammed Jonas Janek to the mat.

Janek was not seriously injured, though no one knew that at the time. The six-point win by default was a huge factor in Granite City's 30-25 dual team win for the regional title. I won't fault Bradley for being frustrated, or upset, or even angry. No one, not even a rabid fan from the winning side, wants to see such a crucial and evenly fought match with so much at stake end like the one Tuesday night ended.

Where I have my quarrel with Bradley is in other areas. As a former referee I will admit to being a bit defensive whenever one is verbally attacked. I learned very quickly that most fans, most players and even most coaches do not know the rules of the sport in which they are involved.

I also learned that referees don't see everything that happens. Two basketball referees, for example, probably see only 70 percent of what happens on the floor. Three refs in basketball is a change long in coming, but an important one.

I remember once in an important soccer game whistling a player offside only to realize a fraction of a second later that there was an opponent upfield, hidden in my blind spot. The coach was livid. I went over to him and did the only thing I could do. "Coach, I blew it," I admitted. "I never saw the player upfield."

He was still frustrated, but he graciously accepted my humanity and never said another word about the call. Refs do not see everything. But neither do refs call things they do not see.

So much of refereeing in any sport is personal judgment. That's why such calls as the one made by Steve Koch against CM's Brad Becker are called "judgment" calls. And the bottom line is that the only person whose judgment means a thing is the referee's.

The judgment of Steve Bradley or GCHS coach Mike Garland or anyone else may well be valid, but in the final analysis it doesn't matter. The only person whose judgment means anything Tuesday was Koch, an experienced referee who was closer to the action and had a better view of what happened than anyone else in the gym, including the other referees.

The argument that a match shouldn't be determined by a referee's whistle and a default makes little sense to me.

After basketball games I called coaches or fans would sometimes say to me that I should have just let the kids play (which would have been real mayhem, and real "fair," I might add.) Nobody would ever say that if they ever thought it through to its logical end. Occasionally, people would also say to me, "You shouldn't let free throws determine the game."

I always wondered, "Why not?" They're a part of the game, aren't they? Would we say "You shouldn't let field goals (or rebounds, or assists) determine the game"? My response to people was always, "I didn't let free throws determine the game. Your players

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Maroons' late surge sinks GCHS

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

Belleville West coach Bill Schmidt told his players, "The team that plays defense wins the game." When the referee blew the whistle to start the fourth quarter, the players looked up to Schmidt for a play to run on the Maroons' possession. Schmidt must have had a brain cramp and then just smiled and said "Go out and play hard."

The Maroons (6-12, 5-6 South-

western Conference) took Schmidt's advice and never relinquished their five-point lead in the final minutes to defeat Granite City 72-65 in a SWC battle Friday night.

"Maybe the least said sometimes is better," a smiling Schmidt said. "What we were trying to do there was call a play but we had no idea what defense they were going to come out in. I didn't want to confuse the kids so I thought just let them play. Maybe that is something that we all as coaches need to do more."

After the Warriors dominated the boards through the first three quarters, the Maroons did listen to Schmidt's advice

and owned the glass in the final eight minutes.

"We played a lot better team defense and we hit the boards a lot better in the fourth quarter," Schmidt said. "That is the key. In games like that, snaring those loose balls and forcing bad shots is the key. Granite City is a hard-nosed bunch of kids. They have been forever and they go at you and fight you."

The Warriors (9-10, 4-6) put up a good fight without the services of Dustin Brewer, who missed the game because of an injury he suffered in an automobile accident earlier in the week.

"We had a chance to win the

ballgame. We didn't make baskets in the fourth quarter when we were down by five points," GCHS coach John Van Buskirk said. "We were down by (five) and they missed some free throws and they got their own rebounds. That's the game right there."

"We gave up 72 points. We can't do that. That has something to do with Dustin's presence and the rebounding, but other kids have to learn to step it up. We didn't do a very good job."

Kyle Briggs filled the void for the Warriors. Briggs pumped in a career-high 33 points. Jeff Hoening and Ray (See WARRIORS, Page 3B)



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)
GCHS was without center Dustin Brewer in Friday's 51-46 loss to Belleville West.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)
Jaime Dellbringge signs with the University of Kentucky. Joining her are (from left) GCHS AD Jerry McKechnie, Jaime's mother Patricia Mance and coach Gene Baker.

Delbringge lands UK offer

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

Granite City High School senior Jaime Dellbringge signed a letter of intent Jan. 5 to play soccer with the University of Kentucky.

The Wildcats have one of the premier women's soccer programs in the nation. The team went 13-6-2 last season, was ranked as high as 12th and advanced to the NCAA Tournament — where it lost to Southeastern Conference rival Vanderbilt 2-1 in the first round.

"I went to soccer camp at Kentucky in July and fell in love with the campus and the program," Dellbringge said. "I got along great with the players and the coach."

The GCHS senior was recruited heavily by the Wildcats, and for good reason.

"She's a very athletic person," said Kentucky coach Warren Lipka. "She is strong, agile and has good speed. Jaime is a great ball winner at midfield, is good with the ball on her feet, and is strong in the air. She always positions herself well. We have big plans for Jaime."

GCHS soccer coach Gene Baker is equally high on Dellbringge.

"Girls tend not to be as flexible positionally

as boys," he said. "The fact that Jaime can play all three thirds of the field is a credit to her. It is indicative of her skill, intelligence and experience. UK is getting a great scholar athlete (she has a 4.7 grade point average), so we're not sending them a question mark."

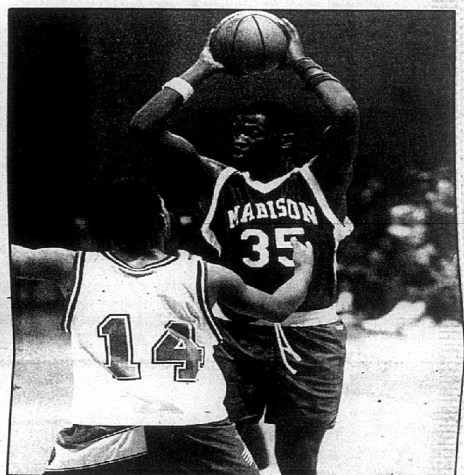
Dellbringge has played year-round for the Busch Soccer Club in St. Louis since 1990 and has started each of her first three years for the Lady Warriors. She was selected to the Missouri State Olympic Development team for 1994 and 1996, and also made the Illinois team this season.

Her biggest thrill in organized soccer, however, came when GCHS went to state during her freshman campaign. Her biggest disappointment was missing the first six weeks of her junior year due to heel surgery.

"It was really hard sitting there not doing anything," said the center midfielder. "Where the injury cost me the most was in conditioning. It was hard to stay in shape. My first game back, I was huffing and puffing."

"But she scored," beamed her coach. "Jaime handled maturely the injury and the surgery. And we are hoping for an injury-free campaign her senior year. I look for her to

(See DELLBRINGGE, Page 4B)



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESSE)
Alvin Valentine looks to pass as Ladwell Collins of Venice defends.

Trojans top Wildcats in regional preview

By Patrick C. Heston
Staff writer

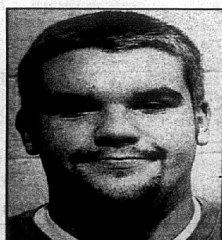
Madison tuned up for its run at the regional title in more ways than one Thursday night.

Coach Al Collins not only gave his bench players quality minutes but did so against the team his Trojans will meet in the opening game of the West-Clan Class A Regional on Feb. 24.

Madison (17-6) scored an easy 84-67 win over visiting Lovejoy (3-8) as the Trojans' regulars played only about half

the game. "Tonight I wasn't as much concerned about a win," explained Collins, "as I was about getting as many players as possible as much playing time as possible as we prepare for the regional."

Mission accomplished. It was senior night at Madison and Collins responded by starting seniors who normally see little playing time. The first quarter wasn't pretty, as the Madison offense coughed and wheezed while its defense (See TROJANS, Page 4B)



B.J. Bertelsman

Bertelsman shooting for return to state

By Scott Marion
Staff writer

At 5-foot-9 and 245 pounds with two-tone hair — bright yellow on top — Belleville West's B.J. Bertelsman is a distinctive figure on the wrestling mat.

But talent, not hair color, has made the junior heavyweight one of the Metro East's best-known wrestlers. Bertelsman — the Illinois Journal/Cardinal Club Athlete of the Week — took a 27-3 record into this weekend's Class AA individual sectional

at Granite City. On Tuesday, he helped the Maroons beat Edwardsville 37-22 to claim their first regional team championship.

A three-year varsity veteran, Bertelsman was 31-9 last season, reaching the state tournament. As a freshman, he was 25-11 and placed fourth in the regional.

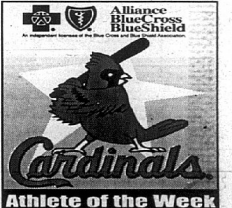
"It will be interesting to see how B.J. will do at the state tournament," said West coach Steve Garland, whose team will face Granite City in the semifinals of the team sectional on Feb. 25. "Last

year he wasn't as strong and he was a little intimidated. He wrestled only one match because the kid he lost to in the first round lost to the eventual state champion."

"If he wrestles with a lot of confidence, he can go a long way. The experience and strength factor has made all the difference in the world this year."

Bertelsman feels he has become a much better wrestler.

"I'm more patient on the mat — I wait for the right (See BERTELSMAN, Page 3B)



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Girls basketball

ALTON GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (4-15)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
J. Corbaird	10	31.2	25.0	3-6	50.0	25.0	1.00	1.00	0.8	0.1	0.3	2
R. Hickman	17	35.4	34.5	0-0	0.0	35.0	47.1	1.46	6.0	4.5	0.5	46
R. Henry	9	15.0	27.8	0-1	0.0	24.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
K. Madison	19	42.1	35.3	0-0	0.0	34.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
B. Mitchell	19	25.7	23.7	3-5	60.0	10.0	50.0	5.0	1.4	4.4	1.2	18
A. Thurston	13	6.2	18.8	0-0	0.0	18.0	50.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	4
L. Kennedy	18	101.2	40.3	13.5	25.0	49.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
K. Edwards	20	20.1	25.0	0-1	0.0	24.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
B. Hill	16	15.0	22.5	0-0	0.0	18.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
L. Haidman	18	20.1	25.0	0-1	0.0	24.0	50.0	2.0	1.8	0.7	1.4	11
S. Fletcher	13	25.7	23.7	3-5	60.0	10.0	50.0	5.0	1.4	4.4	1.2	18
B. Burton	13	11.8	41.1	0-0	0.0	12.0	50.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	4
N. Hinton	4	3-6	50.0	1.2	30.0	0-0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0
Totals	19	333-1082	30.7	41-303	13.2	153-200	47.8	858	43.2	70.8	13.2	319

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

BELLVILLE EAST GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (2-13)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
N. Bennett	10	5.9	26.3	1-3	33.3	7.0	41.7	61.2	2.08	1.1	0.6	4.2
C. Daco	10	5.9	26.3	1-3	33.3	7.0	41.7	61.2	2.08	1.1	0.6	4.2
C. Carroll	25	58.1	44.8	0-0	0.0	52.0	54.1	1.41	5.0	3.4	1.1	83
L. Prewitt	25	58.1	44.8	0-0	0.0	52.0	54.1	1.41	5.0	3.4	1.1	83
J. Jackson	25	119-188	60.1	0-0	0.0	75.1	57.1	31.3	12.5	7.6	1.0	18.4
R. Fournie	25	119-188	60.1	0-0	0.0	75.1	57.1	31.3	12.5	7.6	1.0	18.4
A. Soper	25	119-188	60.1	0-0	0.0	75.1	57.1	31.3	12.5	7.6	1.0	18.4
A. Darr	25	119-188	60.1	0-0	0.0	75.1	57.1	31.3	12.5	7.6	1.0	18.4
A. Jackson	25	119-188	60.1	0-0	0.0	75.1	57.1	31.3	12.5	7.6	1.0	18.4
Totals	25	608-1130	53.4	3-35	8.6	323-515	62.7	1543	81.7	30.4	17.6	12.2

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

BELLVILLE WEST GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (1-15)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
D. Lawary	30	131-240	54.8	0-0	0.0	52.9	54.3	31.4	15.7	10.5	0.8	1.9
K. Kraus	30	131-240	54.8	0-0	0.0	52.9	54.3	31.4	15.7	10.5	0.8	1.9
K. Knapp	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
B. Hickman	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
N. Niederkorn	9	4-8	50.0	0-0	0.0	14.0	25.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.4	18
J. McLean	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
D. Fierling	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
K. Radley	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
C. Betz	22	50-133	40.7	0-2	0.0	30.0	60.0	8.0	5.8	1.3	1.5	58
L. Pollock	15	12-29	41.4	0-0	0.0	15.3	58.1	4.2	2.8	1.1	0.3	13
A. Schaff	18	2-11	18.2	0-0	0.0	11.0	45.5	2.0	1.0	1.0	0.5	15
L. Rust	9	48-120	40.0	14-27	51.9	45.0	73.3	16.5	17.2	2.8	1.3	12
Totals	22	602-954	42.1	16-50	34.0	471-708	58.1	1091	60.9	30.2	11.0	33.3

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

COLLINSVILLE GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (8-17)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
E. Heister	24	27-88	30.7	11-45	24.4	32-58	44.8	7.8	3.3	1.2	1.1	94
A. Dow	24	27-88	30.7	11-45	24.4	32-58	44.8	7.8	3.3	1.2	1.1	94
L. Krupp	25	25-56	44.6	0-0	0.0	51.0	50.0	5.0	2.2	1.2	0.5	36
J. Harmon	24	27-88	30.7	11-45	24.4	32-58	44.8	7.8	3.3	1.2	1.1	94
A. Knappe	16	8-23	34.8	1-7	14.3	9.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.2	13
A. Knappe	16	8-23	34.8	1-7	14.3	9.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	0.3	0.2	13
Stahenfeldt	23	11-42	26.2	5-19	26.3	12.1	57.1	3.7	1.8	0.9	0.5	25
M. Voelke	24	27-88	30.7	11-45	24.4	32-58	44.8	7.8	3.3	1.2	1.1	94
A. Parker	22	14-32	43.8	0-0	0.0	13.2	62.3	1.67	0.7	1.8	0.3	13
L. Lofgren	25	14-39	35.9	0-0	0.0	14.0	50.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.3	13
J. Springer	25	14-39	35.9	0-0	0.0	14.0	50.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.3	13
D. Jensen	5	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	2.0	1.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0
D. Jensen	5	0-0	0.0	0-0	0.0	2.0	1.0	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.1	0
K. Ramsey	8	0-2	0.0	0-0	0.0	1.0	50.0	1.0	0.5	0.3	0.2	2
Totals	25	375-1013	37.6	33-173	19.1	177-300	59.0	960	38.4	23.8	5.9	363

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

EGL LINDSEY GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (15-3)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
S. Eckford	20	50-114	43.9	0-0	0.0	82.4	53.3	10.8	5.4	7.1	0.5	64
M. Powell	20	50-114	43.9	0-0	0.0	82.4	53.3	10.8	5.4	7.1	0.5	64
T. Spence	12	13-34	38.2	0-0	0.0	16.0	50.0	4.0	2.0	1.0	0.5	24
S. Hill	8	3-18	16.7	0-0	0.0	9.0	0.0	0.7	1.3	0.0	0.5	4
L. Walker	16	16-46	34.8	0-0	0.0	27.1	51.9	8.3	4.3	2.0	1.0	44
A. Rucker	20	57-118	48.3	0-0	0.0	84.0	50.0	14.4	7.3	2.7	0.7	58
T. Bean	20	57-118	48.3	0-0	0.0	84.0	50.0	14.4	7.3	2.7	0.7	58
R. Adams	20	146-271	53.9	13-35	34.3	31.0	50.0	23.0	18.8	2.0	0.9	25
K. Cole	20	146-271	53.9	13-35	34.3	31.0	50.0	23.0	18.8	2.0	0.9	25
K. McCray	3	2-16	12.5	0-0	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.3	1.1	0.0	0.3	6
Totals	20	499-1108	47.1	37-138	26.9	149-271	55.0	1114	55.2	35.8	6.6	124

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

EDWARDSVILLE GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (16-7)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
M. Meyers	23	18-37	35.1	2-11	18.2	31.1	30.3	3.3	2.8	0.9	0.6	23
T. Head	19	18-37	35.1	2-11	18.2	31.1	30.3	3.3	2.8	0.9	0.6	23
E. Warner	23	35-64	54.7	0-0	0.0	24.4	58.6	6.0	3.2	2.9	0.1	66
J. Hogg	23	35-64	54.7	0-0	0.0	24.4	58.6	6.0	3.2	2.9	0.1	66
K. McKinnon	23	35-64	54.7	0-0	0.0	24.4	58.6	6.0	3.2	2.9	0.1	66
C. Engleke	17	12-42	28.6	0-0	0.0	5.6	83.3	2.9	1.7	1.0	0.4	12
J. Woodley	17	12-42	28.6	0-0	0.0	5.6	83.3	2.9	1.7	1.0	0.4	12
S. Chast	23	45-137	32.8	5-36	13.9	22.4	40.7	11.7	5.1	3.4	1.6	41
K. Penellon	7	4-10	40.0	0-0	0.0	9.0	50.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.4	8
E. Gueselle	8	3-8	37.5	1-3	33.3	1.4	25.0	1.3	0.8	0.5	0.0	4
Totals	23	554-1131	35.9	38-143	26.6	260-450	54.9	1336	58.1	35.9	13.0	112

FGA includes all field goal attempts, including 3-point attempts.

Per-game-played averages listed on rebounds, steals and assists.

GRANITE CITY GIRLS BASKETBALL 1986-87 (1-12)												
GP	FGA	FC%	3 PT	3PT%	FTA	FT%	TP	AP	Reb.	Ass.	St.	Pt.
D. Aaron	10	8-28	28.6	0-0	0.0	9.5	60.0	2.5	2.5	0.2	0.3	25
J. Wallace	10	8-28	28.6	0-0	0.0	9.5	60.0	2.5	2.5	0.2	0.3	25
M. Robay	9	9-29	31.0	2-8	25.0	33.3	25.0	2.2	1.1	0.9	1.6	14
R. Johnson	14	15-45	33.3	0-0	0.0	31.0	45.2	3.0	2.0	0.7	0.4	14
K. Coleman	13	14-40	35.1	0-0	0.0	10.6	62.5	2.8	2.0	0.4	0.7	47
G. Simpson	13	14-40	35.1	0-0	0.0	10.6	62.5	2.8	2.0	0.4	0.7	47
M. Selter	9	7-23	30.4	1-4	25.0	24.0	50.0	1.7	1.9	0.2	0.4	17
L. Shanks	13	13-42	31.0	0-0	0.0	14.2	72.7	3.0	2.0	0.4	0.7	47
E. Todd	9	6-24	25.0	1-1	1.0	6.5	40.0	1.9	2.1	0.4	0.8	25
B. Brand	13	13-42	31.0	0-0	0.0	14.2	72.7	3.0	2.0	0.4	0.7	47
B. Gehling	11	5-25	20.0	0-1	0.0	11.0	58.3	3.8	1.1	0.3	0.2	22
Totals	13	102-248	29.8	11-49	22.4	104-300	52.0	43.8	23.0	7.4	6.6	252

SPORTS

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Youth soccer league
The Gateway East Illinois Youth Soccer League will be accepting applications for the spring season for boys and girls teams U-10 to U-14. For information, call Tom Posnanski at 656-8834 or E-mail SOC-ER 1941@AOL.COM.

Mitchell registration
The Mitchell Athletic Club is taking team registration for its summer recreational league (non-select) in baseball, softball and T-ball.
Boys and girls ages 4-19 are eligible. For more information, call Dave at 931-3690.

Park league sign-ups
The Granite City Park District is now taking registration for boys and girls wanting to play youth baseball, tee-ball or ponytail softball this summer.

The sign-ups are for boys and girls who would like to play in the 1997 summer park leagues but are not currently on a park district team or have never played in the park district leagues.

Boys and girls who will be ages 6-16 may have their name placed on the list. Every effort will be made to place them on a team.
Boys and girls tee-ball is for ages 6-7, youth baseball is for ages 8-16 and ponytail softball is for ages 8-16.

New teams are formed from the compiled list. Names on the list are also used by managers of existing teams that need to fill their rosters.

Anyone interested in coaching or managing a youth baseball, tee-ball or ponytail softball team may visit the Wilson Park office or call recreation supervisor Ray Hoffman at 877-3059.

"RJ" Krause All-Stars
The "RJ" Krause All-Stars Sports Club of East St. Louis is seeking basketball games and tournaments for boys and girls teams in grades 3-10. The club also needs sports equipment, uniforms, cheerleading outfits, used basketball shoes, sports magazines, books, games or trading cards. For more information, call Krause at 398-1201.

All-star tryouts
The St. Louis International Youth Baseball Association will select an all-star team to play baseball in Australia in March 1997. The team is open to boys born March 30, 1981 or later. For more information, call Al Bond at (314) 845-3032.

Softball tournament
The St. Louis Girl's Fastpitch Spring Softball Tournament will be held April 18-20 by the Creve Coeur (Mo.) Athletic Association. There is a 4-game guarantee.

The entry fee for age groups 10-18 is \$150. For more information, call Mike (532-3218) or John (527-6504).

Donkey Basketball
The GCHS Varsity Club will hold its annual Donkey Basketball game 7 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26 at Memorial Gymnasium.

Tickets are \$3 in advance and \$4 at the door. Tickets may be purchased through the high school office. The Student Council will face the Varsity Club in the first game. The Faculty will meet the Police in the second game, and the two winners will meet in the third game.

The first 100 youths in attendance will receive a free donkey ride.

GC Soccer Club
The Granite City Soccer Club is holding open registration for boys and girls born between 1983 and 1993 for the upcoming soccer season. For details, call 876-2000.

Baseball tournament
Chesterfield (Mo.) Community Association is accepting registration for its Independence Day holiday baseball tournament, to be held July 3-6. This is an open tournament limited to 16 teams at each of three levels: Atom 2, Bantam 2 and Midget 2. There is a three-game guarantee.

The team entry fee is \$110. Call Mike Cremer at (314) 518-8830 or Joe Mann at (314) 458-8827.

BAC soccer clinic
The Belleville Area College Winter Soccer Clinic will be held from 7-9 p.m. on Feb. 20 and 27 and March 7 at the BAC intramural gym. The cost is \$25 per session or \$50 for all three sessions.

The clinic is open to players age 10-18. Instructors include Larry Petzel, head coach at BAC; Chad Lignou, assistant coach at BAC; Jim Meyer, head coach at Highland High School; Gary Carr, head coach at Mascoutah and Jay Blossom, head coach at Waterloo. For more information, call 252-2700, extension 271.



(Staff photo by JOHN FRESI)

Madison guard Maurice Baker battles at the net during last week's game against Venice.

•Dellbringge

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have a great year. Her best soccer is ahead of her." Dellbringge started playing soccer when she was 8 years old. She spent one year in recreation soccer before joining a select team. She has played nearly every position at one time or another in her career. "Except goalie," she said.

Recently recognized as one of the top 10 girls players in metro St. Louis, Dellbringge is the heart of a Lady Warriors' team that could contend for a state championship this spring. "We're expecting a great deal of leadership from her this year," Baker said. "Her flexibility helps us. And she has great field vision, soccer instinct and maturity."

•Trojans

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struggled to stop the Wildcats' outside scoring, but the Trojans closed with a 6-2 spurt and ended the quarter with a 16-13 edge.

The Madison regulars were on the floor for most of the second and third periods. They outscored Lovejoy 54-31 during the 16-minute stretch to take a commanding 70-44 lead into the last quarter. Maurice Baker and Tywansley Patten combined 13-of-18 shooting from the field (72 percent) for 30 points over the middle frames.

The Trojans were up by 29 early in the fourth quarter before the Wildcats' subs rallied to make the final margin more respectable. And more deceptive.

Madison dominated the visitors in every phase of the game—including free throws. And that pleased Collins, whose Trojans have struggled recently at the line. Madison hit 11 of its first 15 attempts against Lovejoy, and its way to 73 percent shooting on the night.

Baker, who never stepped to the line, scored a game-high 17 points in only 15 minutes of action. He hit three of four shots from beyond the arc and four of five from inside, but was content mostly just to dish the ball off. As usual, the Trojans' offense ran smoothly and efficiently with the 6-0 floor general in the game.

Patten contributed 16 points in two quarters of playing time. Kevin Bradley added 10. Brandon McGirt and Jerrind

Howard netted eight each and Demand Simms and Harry Thomas both struck for six.

Lovejoy's leading scorers picked up most of their points in the Wildcats' 23-point fourth quarter. LaVester Harvey worked the paint for 15 points, 10 of them in the final five minutes. Dewayne Wiley and

Craig Jackson scored 13 apiece, and Antwan Glasper weighed in with 10.

The Trojans played Patoka on Saturday night in the Greenville Shootout and are off until Friday, when they travel to Trenton to conclude the regular season.

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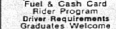
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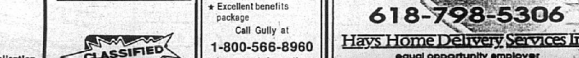
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SOMETHING SPECIAL! 3 BR, hardwood floor in dining room, 4 selling for less than \$400! 3 BR and family room in basement, fenced yard, home warranty - \$409, GR554.

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Price in \$	Address
186,900	2095 Wilson Ave.
238,000	301 Woodcliff Place Drive
302,000	1467 Carriage Crossing Lane
303,466	1315 Wellington View Place
574,900	17824 Pond Bridge Road
Price in \$	Address
141,750	2338 Forest Lake Parkway
150,000	9 Mountainview Court
175,500	112 Country Creek Court
197,461	106 Strecker Ridge Court
203,750	110 Lucerne Crossing Court
203,970	16004 Arrow View Terrace Drive
239,000	1958 Prospect Ridge Drive
304,505	829 Wooddale Court
Price in \$	Address
132,000	424 Claytham Court
188,500	1554 Harris Ridge Court

207,500	186 River Valley Drive
209,500	1933 Shadow Wood Court
296,394	14724 Whitbrook Drive
Price in \$	Address
40,000	1325 Prospect Village Lane #A
62,000	1319 Holgate Drive
105,000	118 Brookside Lane
114,480	1625 Whispering Creek Drive
118,000	1415 Maunten Drive
135,000	409 Oaktree Crossing Court
139,250	815 Country Stone Drive
150,000	885 Almond Hill Court
172,070	674 Canany Estates Drive
192,000	507 Stepleton Court
195,500	609 Charleston Oaks Drive
245,615	917 Kingsridge Court
250,000	414 Bluff Meadow Court
273,151	915 Eagles Ridge Court
276,940	926 Crown Pointe Estates Drive

Price in \$	Address
122,000	222 Rockwood Place Court
160,337	17432 Hilltop Ridge Drive
181,220	747 Vista Glen Court
192,000	17478 Hilltop Ridge Drive
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50,000	2018 Bentley Manor Drive
Price in \$	Address
50,000	2227 Dunesview Drive
69,700	785 Gonzaga Lane
73,000	895 Rosetta Ave.
75,500	880 Lilac Drive
75,500	745 Brown St.
175,000	2147 Lehigh Court

Price in \$	Address
32,000	12452 Sea Lane Drive
67,500	2670 Woodcage Drive
69,000	1140 Carmona Drive

61,000	12622 Baytree Drive
110,000	6488 Fairfield Court
Price in \$	Address
145,000	16329 Hampden Place
Price in \$	Address
332,900	17258 Portland Cove Lane
Price in \$	Address
69,800	3912 Dunn Road
Price in \$	Address
30,000	11427 Warner Road
67,500	2305 Sequoia Park Court
80,000	2869 Laurel View Lane
81,500	2907 Sprucewood Drive
93,000	11963 Glenvalley Drive
119,000	12299 Springtree Court
Price in \$	Address
72,000	3731 Raymond Ave.
209,500	3888 DePaul Meadows Court
Price in \$	Address
143,110	1066 Big Bend Crossing Drive
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21,711	2341-43 Russell Blvd.
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116,000	1122 S. 16th St.
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212,000	152 Linden Ave.
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318,000	9435 San Bonita Ave.
870,000	1 Forrest Ridge Place
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8,000	1909 Deetran St.
9,000	5232 Labadie Ave. & 5230 St. Louis Ave.
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30,000	3929 Sullivan Ave.
42,000	3612 N. 19th St.
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94,000	4343 Laclede Ave. #H
136,000	4904 McPherson Ave.
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10,500	4963 Blow St.
25,000	5010 Bancroft Ave.
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1,000	4538 Pennsylvania Ave.
47,000	3004 Mount Pleasant St.
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7,500	5625 Wabada Ave.
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1,000	3940-42 Cook Ave.
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65,000	3311-13 Marshall Ave.
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20,000	4047-49 Harrell St.
26,600	3663 Robert Ave.
39,000	4651 Ray Ave.
42,000	4531 Winnebago St.
50,000	4735 Goethe Ave.
Price in \$	Address
47,000	1309 Laclede Station Road
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18,000	4023 California Ave.
43,507	3234 Iowa Ave.
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56,000	613 Fieldcrest Drive
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308,000	37 Joy Ave.
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26,000	4114 Belford Drive
Price in \$	Address
100,000	1126 Kinkham Ave.
112,000	835 Victoria Ave.
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154,500	818 Brownell Ave.
219,900	652 Quail Lane
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97,500	7101 Circleview Drive
91,200	9120 Coral Drive
97,000	10936 Arnett Drive
106,000	9220 Niles Place
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93,200	1025 Hawkstone Lane
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215,000	5062 Brynmar Drive
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213,875	4466 Ford Ridge Drive
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191,000	7812 Stanford Ave.
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117,250	834 Blase Ave.
475,811	1906 Van Reak Lane
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65,000	8600 Cochise Drive
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36,500	7840 Bloom Drive
Price in \$	Address
21,000	8600 Graham Lane
Price in \$	Address
30,000	125 Cunningham Ave.
30,000	7728 Brand Ave.
30,000	7864 Brand Ave.
33,500	905 S. Florissant Road
Price in \$	Address
13,000	10340 Earl Drive
34,500	10196 Baron Court
45,000	5318 Fletcher St.
49,900	7129 Dawson Place
54,000	6299 McLaren Ave.
58,900	10311 Bon Oak Drive
59,000	6022 Hartford St.
63,600	11378 Lanett Court
Price in \$	Address
13,000	12099 Meadowdale Drive
19,800	1645 Clock Tower Drive
100,000	1700 June Drive
Price in \$	Address
56,000	1337 Ripple St.
66,000	1336 Ripple St.
134,000	1340 Grahm St.
100,000	8519 Peridot Ave.
Price in \$	Address
375,000	222 Brookhart Court
Price in \$	Address
55,000	2150 McCausland Ave.
Price in \$	Address
135,000	1840 Pepperwood Drive
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